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Announcement of Public Sessions of the Fisheries Commission.

Date Set Also for International Conference in State of Washington.

Mr. Kershaw in Interview Points Out Necessity of Two Governments Co-operating

THE public sittings of the fisheries commission which is to investigate the fisheries of British Columbia in all phases will commence in this city on November 7th next, and on November 9th sittings will be held at the Hotel Vancouver, the point yet to be selected. At this latter meeting the international aspect of the fisheries on the Pacific coast will be dealt with, the enquiry embracing the proposals for joint regulations for closed seasons, international hatcheries and other regulations for the control of the fisheries of this coast as they affect Canada and the United States. On November 14th and 15th the commission will sit at New Westminster, and at Vancouver on the 16th and 17th. The commission will then return to Victoria and sit there on the 21st and 22nd, going to Nanaimo the 23rd and sitting on the 23rd and 24th of November, and a sitting will be held at the Cowichan district, presumably at Duncan, on November 27th. These dates are liable to change, if this is made necessary by the need of more extended sessions at any of the points named. Other arrangements will be made later.

Yesterday the preliminary meeting for the consideration of the arrangements of the commission was convened, with Prof. E. A. Prince as chairman. This meeting, like the previous one, was held in camera. The dates were chosen for the sittings as above, and some of the headings under which investigations are to be carried out were considered. It is expected that these preliminary meetings will be in session for some days, as there is much to do in this connection, as the commission is to enquire not alone into the salmon fisheries, but also the halibut, herring, oyster, in fact all the fisheries of the province. It is expected that the commission will last for many months, perhaps for a year. The commissioners will hear all the facts that can be laid before them by those interested in various branches of the fishing industry, and when the salmon run commences next summer personal observations will be made, the traps and canneryes of the province being visited by the commissioners.

Personnel of Commission

Prof. E. A. Prince, B. A., F. R. C. S., general inspector of the Canadian fisheries, is at the head of the commission. Other commissioners are J. P. Baskerville, fisheries commissioner for British Columbia; G. W. Taylor of Wellington, a Dominion fisheries inspector; Richard Hall, M.P.P., of Victoria; Campbell Sweeney of Vancouver, and J. C. Brown, of New Westminster. J. C. Mackintosh, of this city, is secretary to the commission.

T. R. Kershaw, fishery commissioner for the state of Washington, interviewed at Vancouver on Tuesday, said: "We are all ready, waiting for the word from your commission, which I believe is sitting in Victoria, for the holding of the joint meeting with fishery representatives of our state. The preservation of the industry and the propagation of the sockeye will doubtless be the best way to speedily build up the salmon industry, and we would like to have some recognition given our proposals to either build a hatchery on the Fraser or assist in the building and maintenance of one. So far our overtures have not been favorably received. The whole object is to better the industry, for the fishermen and canneryes are at last beginning to take serious action."

"If that is the case, why did your legislature defeat the law providing for close alternate years?" was asked.

U. S. Canners Are Supreme

"If you understand legislatures on our side," Mr. Kershaw answered, "you will know how such a thing was possible. I thought that anything recommended by the Puget Sound Cannery association was about as good as 'aw,' but the seiners and gill-netters developed great strength. Then, too, the measure was proposed in the closing days of the session. My own opinion is that the best way to speedily build up the sockeye industry is to have three seasons, such as were proposed for 1906 and 1908, and if during the next three years no salmon fishing were allowed, there would be good runs afterward. That is, if proper attention is paid to the propagation of the fish in the hatcheries, and it looks as if this will be the case. The great breeding place of the sockeye is on the Fraser river, and I cannot see why Washington state should not be allowed to co-operate in the matter of a hatchery in those waters."

There's one thing, if the close alternate law was defeated, we made a start in establishing a weekly closed season of 36 hours. This is fairly effective this year, but the fault is that our closings should be had a couple of three days ahead of that on this side, instead of at the same time. Our legislature does not meet every year like your parliament, and we can do nothing more until the session of 1907, as we have no such convenient procedure like your orders-in-council."

Mr. Kershaw was very pleased to hear of the excellent work done this year by the hatchery at Seaton lake. This spot as a site for a hatchery was one which his superintendent had a hand in the selection of, he stated, and the success of this year has demonstrated that the hatchery has been put in the right place.

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Democrats Deny McCall's Evidence

Judge Parker Says Party Never
Solicited Insurance Company for Contribution.

**President McCall of New York
Life Is Flatly Denied by
Defeated Candidate.**

New York, Sept. 20.—Judge Alton B. Parker, the Democratic candidate for President in 1904, tonight gave the Associated Press this statement concerning President McCall's testimony relative to the soliciting of funds from the New York Life Insurance Company by Democrats in 1904: "My attention has been called to certain testimony said to have been given today by Mr. John A. McCall while a witness before the investigating committee in reply to Mr. Hughes' question as to whether he thought in 1904 the interests of the policy holders were so seriously endangered that the company refused to contribute." It is evident that Mr. McCall was laboring under great excitement in making his reply, for it is very incoherent, but if his answer is intended to convey the impression that in the campaign of 1904 I either directly or indirectly solicited him or his corporation or any other corporation any money, the statement is absolutely false.

"On the contrary, I repeat now what I said before the election that I expressly notified the chairman of the executive committee of the national committee that no such person should be received from contributions."

W. F. Sheean's attention being called to the testimony of Mr. McCall, said: "I was chairman of the executive committee of the national committee. There was not a single man connected with the Democratic national campaign that solicited a dollar from Mr. McCall. If any such person made any solicitation Mr. McCall should name him."

McCull Repeats Assertion

New York, Sept. 20.—John A. McCall, president of the New York Life Insurance Company, referring to his testimony before the legislative committee in relation to contributions to the Democratic party, said tonight: "The meaning I intended to convey when I mentioned Judge Parker was this: Parker, when a candidate for the presidency last year, did not personally ask me for campaign funds, but friends did so repeatedly."

Judge Parker, as chairman of the state Democratic committee several years ago, did however accept preferred contributions to the campaign funds."

Oyster Bay, Sept. 20.—A conference of importance was held tonight at Sagamore Hill, the participants being President Roosevelt, Secretary of State Root, Senator Lodge (Mass.) and Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador to Great Britain. It is not unlikely that the recent developments in the investigation of the conduct of the life insurance companies received an important share of attention at the conference.

All of the visitors are more or less familiar with the insurance situation and the President expects to take up that subject in his forthcoming annual message to Congress, in the preparation of which he is now engaged.

Madison, Wis., Sept. 20.—Insurance Commissioner Host of Wisconsin announced today that the insurance commissioners of Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska, Kentucky, Tennessee and Louisiana will meet in New York shortly for a thorough investigation of the New York Life Insurance Company, the Mutual Life and the Equitable. This is in accordance with the plans agreed upon by the commissioners.

CHOLERA IS SUSPECTED.

Moroccans Take No Chances With Steamer Faro.

Tangier, Sept. 20.—The German steamer Faro, from Hamburg for Moroccan ports, is quarantined here. It is suspected that the vessel has cholera on board.

PUBLIC OPINION IS CHANGING.

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Impersonation Case Dismissed

Prisoner Pleaded Not Guilty and
Evidence of Mr. Drury
Is Taken.

Magistrate Yarwood Decides
That Prosecution Failed to
Make Good.

Nanaimo, Sept. 20.—The trial of Nilsson for alleged impersonation was held tonight before Magistrate Yarwood, and after hearing all the evidence the magistrate dismissed the case on the grounds that the prosecution had not produced evidence to prove the charge. Mr. Baxter appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. Russell (Vancouver) for the defence.

Considerable time was taken up at the opening as to whether or not the magistrate had jurisdiction. Mr. Russell contended that he had not on the grounds that the law stated conclusively that, while one justice may issue a summons, it was necessary for two to be present when the case was tried; secondly, that after the case had been tried before one magistrate, it could not be transferred by motion to another.

Sir Frederick contended that, while the point raised applied to the Canada Temperance Act, they had no application whatever with the criminal code. Magistrate Yarwood overruled the objection and the case proceeded. Nilsson was then arraigned, charged with impersonation.

The accused pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Drury's Evidence

Mr. Drury, the first witness called, gave evidence of having seen the accused on polling day at Wellington in connection with the Alberta election. He had a general oversight of the election on behalf of the Liberals. About 6:30 several vehicles containing voters arrived. The voter who came into the booth, accused among the number. The prisoner applied for a ballot, giving the name Nelson. There was some delay in finding the accused's name, during which time he turned around and conversed with the scrutineers. The returning officer asked him if he was Nels Christian Nelson. Prisoner answered yes. The returning officer called out the name and number on the list. The

RUSSIAN MOBS BREAK INTO JAILS

Riga, Russia, Sept. 20.—The central prison here was attacked this morning by a crowd of one hundred persons, who scaled the walls, cut the telephone wires and killed two and seriously wounded three of the guards. The mob forced the cells and liberated two important political prisoners, whom they carried off. The police and the nightwatchman pursued the mob and firing ensued, during which a policeman was killed.

An enquiry into the affair was begun today.

Sebastopol, Sept. 20.—The revolutionaries today effected the escape from prison of a student named Feldman, who is alleged to have been one of the organizers of the mutiny on the battleship Kniaz Potemkin.

Orel, Russia, Sept. 20.—The prisoners in the government prison here revolted last night. Order was restored by the police and the troops. One prisoner was killed and five injured.

INSULTED THE PRESIDENT.

American Representative Arrested for
Lesse Majeste in Nicaragua.

Washington, Sept. 20.—The United States state department was informed today that the Nicaraguan court in session at Ocosta, in the province of Segovia, has convicted William Sabbers, the American resident agent at Jalapa of the Port Limon Company, on the charge of resisting legal process and insulting President Releya. Sentence has not yet been imposed. However, Mr. Albers is said to be in communication with the American legation at Managua. While it is said here that Mr. Albers may have been induced in forcibly resisting the Nicaraguan officials, a diplomatic enquiry will be made into the entry upon his premises of these officials to test the correctness of his claim that the intrusion was unwarranted and illegal.

The Case Concluded

A number of other witnesses for the prosecution were examined, but nothing interesting or against the prisoner was brought out.

Counsel for the defence addressed the court, contending that the prosecution had made no case, consequently nothing was left than to discharge the prisoner. The prosecution had not proved that such a man as Nels Christian Nelson exists, or ever did exist, and he had never proved that an election had been held in Alberni district.

In summing up for the prosecution, Mr. Baxter argued that no clearer case existed than the one under trial. He had proven that the accused's name was Ed Nelson, while he had voted for and received a ballot and voted at Wellington under the name of Nels Christian Nelson.

After hearing the arguments of both counsel, Magistrate Yarwood dismissed the case on the ground that the prosecution had not made out a case.

YELLOW FEVER REPORT.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 20.—The yellow fever report to 6 p.m. is as follows: New cases, 50; total to date, 2689; deaths, 6; total to date, 351; new disease centers, 15; cases under treatment, 327; cases discharged, 2014.

THE EIGHT-HOUR DAY.

International Typographical Union Issues Statement.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 20.—The headquarters of the International Typographical Union tonight issued this statement: "Strikes for the eight-hour day are on in thirty-eight cities, and in most of these many of the employing printers have signed up." In 216 cities we have the eight-hour day now or to become effective on January 1st. In 56 of these cities where strikes have been declared or threatened all of the offices where union men had been employed have signed the new contract.

ROYAL ARCANUM RATES.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 20.—Twenty-five members of the local councils of the Royal Arcanum filed a bill in the inferior court today to enjoin the supreme council of the order from proceeding under the new rules and assessments adopted at Atlantic City. The complaints concede the right of the supreme council to raise the assessments, but contend that their recent action was unjust because it raised the rates of old men and lowered that charged young men. The bill also seeks to prevent the use of the emergency fund for any other purpose than that of paying premiums and collecting of old men, for which it was intended and created.

EXCLUSION OF CONVICTS. Member of Humbert Gang Objects to Deportation to France.

New York, Sept. 20.—M. Auringac, brother of Mme. Therese Humbert, today declared that he had secured his release and had taken steps to appeal to President Roosevelt to prevent his deportation because he had served a term in a French prison.

SURPRISED GERMAN CONVOY.

Hostile Hottentots Assassinate Escort
and Capture Much Property.

Capetown, Sept. 20.—It is officially announced that the Witbros, in evading the sweeping columns of General Von Trotha, commander-in-chief in German Southwest Africa, surprised a German convoy near Keetmann's Hoop, Namqualand, and practically assassinated its escort and captured thousands of cattle, 122 wagons, many rifles and a quantity of ammunition.

EXCHANGE OF RATIFICATIONS.

Formal Document May Be Handed
Over at White House.

Washington, Sept. 20.—It can now be definitely stated that the exchange of the ratification of the treaty of peace between Japan and Russia will take place in Washington shortly after the treaty has been ratified by their respective sovereigns. It is probable that this will be done in the White House as a compliment to President Roosevelt, but no definite arrangements have been reached by which the treaties will be exchanged.

HORSE RACING AT CHICAGO.

Jockey Club Believes It Can Circumvent the State Attorney.

Chicago, Sept. 30.—Horse racing with wagering attachments is to be resumed in the vicinity of Chicago on September 30th. Ever since last spring, when State Attorney Dunn issued an ultimatum prohibiting betting on the results of races, local race tracks have been closed. The Harlem Jockey Club believes that it has found a way to circumvent the state attorney's office and tonight announces that the races will be held at Belmont Park on September 30th, 1905.

The track is to be closed to the public.

ANARCHY IN CAUCASUS.

Fierce Fight Between Tartars and Armenians, and Many Lives Lost.

Tiflis, Caucasus, Sept. 20.—Word of a Tartar outbreak has just reached here. Armenians with their women and children, numbering 500, were attacked as they fled from Shusha to avoid the Tartars. A fierce fight followed, in which the majority of the Armenian men lost their lives. The Armenian women were carried off by the Tartars.

At Basra yesterday 2,000 rioters attacked a mail and passenger train guarded while in the depot by a heavy detachment of soldiers. Others attempted to seize the mails, when the soldiers opened fire, killing many.

STRIKES CALABRIA.

Further Earthquakes and Storms Add to People's Distress.

Monteleone, Italy, Sept. 20.—Further slight shocks of earthquake and violent storms, extending over the whole of Calabria, today added to the distress of the stricken population. Lightning caused a fire at Olivadi, which destroyed the remains of the first earthquake. Panics occurred at Catania and Reggio, where several buildings were struck.

CONGO FREE STATE.

Political Status of Leopold's Appanage to Be Decided Forthwith.

Brussels, Sept. 20.—The question of the definite political status of the Congo Independent State will, it is announced, be brought before the Belgian parliament during the coming season. The state is now practically an absolute monarchy, there being no constitution limiting King Leopold's sovereign powers.

The convention of July 3, 1890, gave Belgium the right to annex the state but this privilege had not been formally exercised. The present status leaves the King the right to govern the state to his pleasure, but it is not certain that the parliament would approve of this.

Therefore, it is expected that the question will be submitted to parliament for the purpose of defining the exact future status of the state.

ANTI-PEACE MEETING.

Tokio Assemblage Demands That the Cabinet Break Peace Treaty.

Tokio, Sept. 20.—An anti-peace meeting held in Ueno park today was barely attended owing to a heavy rain. The tone of the meeting was quiet. The approaches of the park were guarded by troops but no guards were posted inside.

Resolutions adopted at the meeting demand that the cabinet break the peace treaty or resign. It was decided to bring pressure to bear on the members of the lower house to conform with the resolution, voting to re-elect those failing to so act. The resolutions demand sweeping reforms in the administration of the police. An address to the throne was also adopted, but it has not yet been published.

UNIVERSAL PEACE CONGRESS.

American and Russian Delegates Address Meeting.

Luzerne, Switzerland, Sept. 20.—The universal peace congress held a session today, at which Benjamin Franklin Trueblood, of Boston, in behalf of the American delegation, delivered an address on the progress of the peace movement in the United States. He eulogized the efforts of President Roosevelt to bring about a second peace conference at The Hague and also his achievement in effecting the cessation of the Russo-Japanese war. However, added the speaker, minimizing the honor due the president, he was merely acting as the mouthpiece of the nation whose peaceful churches and chambers of commerce had often called upon him to bring his influence to bear in favor of peace.

A Russian delegate said now that the war had caused 140,000,000 Russians who formerly were dumb and henceforth have a voice in the affairs of the empire. No people, he said, appreciated peace more than the Russians.

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WRIGLESWORTH—At the family residence, No. 19 Bellott street, on the 19th instant, Charles T. and Anna Wriglesworth, aged 4 years and 7 months.

The funeral will take place on Thursday, September 21, at Christ Church cathedral, at 2:30 o'clock.

Friends please accept this intimation.

CARD OF THANKS

The thanks of Mr. R. J. McDonald and family are extended to the many kind friends for their expressions of sympathy and the beautiful floral offerings in their sad bereavement.

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TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply at the next sittings of the Licensing Board for Esquimalt District for a transfer of the retail liquor license held by me for the premises known as the "Horse Shoe Inn," Esquimalt, Victoria, B. C.

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Miss Ada Lamm, 5818 Junett street, S. Tacoma, Wash., member Order of Eastern Star, writes:

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Vladivostok trade shows signs of immediate improvement so great that the Great Northern will likely have to add to its fleet of special charters to handle the traffic. The authoritative announcement was made today that the Minnesota has been sold to the Chinese, and the only question to confront traffic officials of the line will be in selecting the shipments to go out on her November 5.

In filling the Minnesota the Chinese trade ship, which will be sent as soon as the earlier awards are filled, in the cotton goods trade, for instance, the orders will be filled about the time a full demand in the spring trade next year, and the loss of this traffic will be felt keenly by steamship companies engaged in oriental business.

ROOSEVELT'S LATEST HONOR.

Is Appointed President of Olympic Games at Athens.

New York, Sept. 20.—D. N. Botassi, consul-general of Greece, today notified James E. Sullivan, general secretary of the amateur committee of the Olympic games to be held at Athens, Greece, in 1906, of the acceptance of the honorary presidency of the committee by President Roosevelt.

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RUSSIANS' PRIVATIONS.

Party Under General Madrikoff Suffer for Want of Food.

Seoul, Sept. 20.—It is reported that the Russians under General Madrikoff, at Tungtwa, in the Hailing Chen district, are suffering from lack of provisions. They are in the mountains and are alleged to be robbing Koreans. One of them has been taken prisoner and states that his party, numbering 200, commanded ten oxen.

Trade with Japan, showing a remarkable increase, is preventing the steamship companies from feeling the effect as keenly as they would under normal conditions in Japan. There has already been felt the effect of the close of the war in demands for space to ship into Vladivostok and North Chinese ports controlled by the Japanese.

It is stated that the North China and

CANADA DEBARS U.S. PUBLICATIONS

Many Papers Will Be Returned Unless Miscellaneous Rate Is Paid.

A press despatch from Washington, of considerable local interest, is as follows:—The Canadian Postmaster General has issued a circular to all postmasters throughout the country owing to use of the Canadian mail being denied to a number of publications printed in the United States unless the regular postage for miscellaneous printed matter be prepaid. The circular states that the most important of these is the *Postmaster*, that there has been issued from the American government's post office department for some time, and a long and costly legal contest is to follow. The order, intended to be general, is signed by General Postmaster P. Schattenborger, assistant general postmaster, and says: "The postal administration of Canada has advised this department that circulation in Canadian mail at present is regular and that the same is not to be allowed to the publications named in the following list if they were published in Canada, and that unless said publications are prepaid by means of United States postage stamps, at the rate applicable in the United States, they will be returned to the United States. An order has been issued by the department in conformity with the Canadian government's announcement."

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Busy Meeting Hospital Board

Some Interesting Matters Up for Discussion at Last Evening's Session.

Housekeeper to Assume Duties Formerly Discharged by a Steward.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Provincial Jubilee Hospital was held in the Board of Trade room on Tuesday evening. Mr. F. W. Forman occupied the chair, with the following members present: Alex. Wilson, R. E. Brett, R. W. Bolden, E. A. Lewis, R. S. Day.

The first business before the meeting was a communication from J. P. Burgess, thanking the board of hospital for the kind treatment accorded his son while there. Received and filed.

The report of the resident medical officer showed the total number of patients to be 133; admitted, 103; free patients treated, 63; total number of days' stay, 1,655; daily average, 56.29. Received and filed.

A number of probationers made application for admittance to the hospital, which was granted.

The finance committee reported as follows:

Accounts for the month of August were examined and approved for payment, amounting to \$1,866.81.

The salaries for the same month, amounting to \$900.20, were paid to due date.

The total days' stay for August was 1,765, and the salaries paid and accounts paid give an average cost per patient per day of \$0.46.

Payment of the account of the Victoria water works, \$42.30, being the supply for the month of August, was withheld, as we consider it extortional and fail to see wherein that amount of water could have possibly been used. We therefore recommend that the house committee be requested to fully investigate this matter.

It was decided to refer the clause dealing with the water bill to the house committee and adopt the remainder.

The house committee reported, which is as follows: It was discussed at some length "Your house committee beg to report having considered the filling of the vacancy caused by the resignation of the steward, and to recommend that a change be made in the department. We have gone into the matter thoroughly, and have concluded that a housekeeper can be employed to advantage.

Housekeeper and Wardmaids

"Having arrived at these conclusions, we caused an advertisement to appear in the Daily Colonist on 23rd August, stating that applications for the position of housekeeper would be received by the secretary up to the 1st instant. Only three were received, and after due inquiry and conferances in two cases, we have decided to recommend Mrs. M. Williams for the position. She is prepared to undertake the duties of a salaried commencing at the rate of \$30 per month.

"We present herewith a letter received from Miss Kate Farrington, ward maid, who advises that she has been employed at the hospital for three years, and asks for an additional sum of \$20 per month.

After consultation with the matron, and learning the great difficulty experienced in getting ward maids at the present salary of \$15 per month, we would recommend that Miss Farrington's application be accepted, and that the additional sum made receive a corresponding increase."

E. Lewis pointed out that to appoint a housekeeper in the place of a steward, it would be necessary to alter the constitution; but any friend that he was strong in favor of the change.

In connection with the third clause, Alex. Wilson was of the opinion that the work of ward maid should be done by the probationary nurses. In all the hospitals in San Francisco, no maid had to be sent to the laundry, as was the case with our laundry. He thought that it would be better to pay the probationers \$5 per month, than to be bothered with China men, as they are at present. He would oppose the application for an increase.

E. Lewis did not desire to see the nurses degrade themselves by washing windows and scrub floors.

The report was finally adopted.

A communication from the resident medical officer regarding additional help in the laundry was received, stating that it was impossible at present to have the work done in time to change the bedding. He also pointed out that at present the three Chinamen work continuously every day in the laundry, so far as he knew.

It was decided to engage another Chinaman at \$15 per month.

Miss M. A. McDonald, matron in her regular report stated: We are deeply grateful to Miss Fox, a patient of Dr. F. W. Raymond, who kindly donated three deck chairs for the use of the patients; also to the friends who have sent papers and magazines. Received and filed.

Children's Ward Building

A communication from the Ladies' Auxiliary Society stated that they agreed on plan 7 for the children's ward, and also to the proposed change of location. A rough sketch of the new ward was submitted to the board of governors, and it was suggested to erect the building on the east end of the latter's ward, instead of in front of the corridor, as first intended.

The plan which was submitted to the meeting last evening shows the proposed change of location, the new ward being a large kitchen, the building being about 76 sq. ft., and shows a front elevation similar to the present structure.

As the committee had not had sufficient time to go into the details of the cost of the building, it was referred back to them for further report.

A communication from F. M. Rattenbury, including a statement for \$348 due him for work done, was carried over from last meeting. It was decided to further lay the matter over till the report of the special committee which had been ap-

SPORTING NEWS.

LACROSSE.

Centrals Win

The Central school team defeated the North Ward in the second match for a championship of the Victoria Lacrosse Association. The weather conditions were very unfavorable to good lacrosse, but nevertheless the boys played as if the sun was shining bright. The North Ward team were lighter than their opponents, and could not make up for this in their tactics, they were much smaller, several of the boys from the North Ward showed an ability to handle their sticks which was surprising. The Centrals played a very good game and showed the result of practice, the coach, Mr. W. West, was supported by Garrison (4), Matthews (3), Watt (4), W. West referred and gave good satisfaction.

Executive Meeting

The executive of the Victoria Lacrosse Club meets this evening at the Y. M. C. A. A full attendance is requested.

BASEBALL.

Medals Presented

The St. Louis College baseball team, which were successful in winning the junior championship for this city, were last evening presented with medals, which were put up for competition by the Victoria Ballarat League. Fred J. Morris accepted the chair. The following programme was well carried out, the performers receiving well deserved applause: Piano solo, Miss Aaronson; solo, Miss Morrison; reading, Schroeder; solo, Miss McMillan; Geo. H. Hulse, Namath; Edmund H. Gunther, Toronto; W. El. Davison, Toronto; L. Marshall, Vancouver; John E. Wilson, J. F. Porter, Whinlup; T. W. Lewis, Edward Ward; E. A. DeGuerre, Vancouver; Fred J. Reid, Miss Reid, Toronto; S. Phillips, Revere; John R. MacManahan and wife, Toronto; R. G. Macpherson, Vancouver; F. J. H. Chaceay, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Greenway, Ottawa; G. E. Edwards, Whinlup; Mrs. C. D. Macmanahan, Toronto; The Honourable, Regina; W. Sloan, Namath; J. A. Wilson, Regina; W. Sloan, Namath; J. D. Woodward; E. A. 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BESPOOKING SITES in the East End at the present time, from \$250 up.

GOOD LOT and two fine cottages in Victoria West. Only \$1,700.

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FOR SALE—200 acres, 50 cleared, good buildings; \$7,500.

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WANTED—Lady help, willing to make her home, especially with children, 3 in family; comfortable home and small salary. Apply Box 211 Colonist office.

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WANTED—Nurse girl (afternoons), from 2 to 7 p.m. Oak Bay. Apply 60 Rae street. \$18

WANTED—A young girl to take care of children, etc. 21 South Turner street. \$18

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WANTED—A young lady (English) desires tuition at pupil's residence, Oak Bay and Fort Street, preference Modern English. English subjects and accomplishments. Apply 60 Rae street. \$17

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CHEAP BUSINESS LOT—Lot corner Government and Pender streets, for sale cheap, to close an estate.

FIFTH ST.—\$150. 3 lots 60x135 each; no roof; nicely situated. \$150 each.

\$100 CASH and \$25 per month will buy a good \$6,000 2 story dwelling, with basement, brick and stone foundation, and all modern improvements.

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FARM—Beautifully situated on Vancouver Island; ½ mile of water frontage; 30 acres under crop, which is the drained and all fenced; 100 acres of land; 100 acres of land; handsome modern dwelling; outbuildings; broader house; \$2,500 worth of livestock, implements and crop on hand; good fishing and shooting; only 3 miles from railway station. Price \$15,000. Full particulars at office.

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BEACON HILL—Lots 50x150 each, facing the Park. \$900 each; also 1 lot 40x150, \$800; corner lot for \$900.

FOUL BAY—Water lots for sale. Call for particulars.

ROOMS TO LET—Unfurnished rooms in Five Sisters' Block (heated), \$5 per h. upwards.

\$800—5 roomed cottage, and lot 50x120; stable and chicken house; a few fruit trees; insured for \$700. A bargain.

FIRST ST.—\$250. Two lots 50x133 each; at this price per lot, near King's road.

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HILLSIDE FARM ESTATE—Lots \$50 and upwards; also acreage in small parcels of from one to five acres; all cleared and under cultivation; at bed rock price.

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FOR SALE—Buff and white Leghorns and Barred Rock cockerels, cheap. A. Stewart, North Dairy Farm. \$10

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Coast Copper Mining Outlook

Production for Present Season to Be Greatly in Excess of That of Last Year.

Smelting Charges are Less and Low Grade Properties Said to Be Profitable.

Mr. Frank W. McCrady, engineer in charge of the Cuba silver mines on Loughborough Inlet, made some interesting comments on the present coast mining in the course of an interview today, says the Vancouver Province. "Notwithstanding the fact that very little attention seems to have been directed to the British Columbia coast mines," said Mr. McCrady, "they have been steady producers, and the ore mined has been of higher grade than that produced in other districts of British Columbia. This is itself is of great importance, and should give encouragement to those interested in the development of coast properties. I expect that 1905 will see a great increase in the output of the coast mining."

From present indications I cannot see why the coast output for 1905 should not show an increase of 100 per cent, over 1901, taking into consideration the large promised output from the Britannia and the present good showings on the Marble Bay, Cuba and Loyal groups, together with the opening up again of the Copper Queen.

Smelting Costs Less.

"Another important matter regarding

the coast production of copper is found in these facts: Five years ago the cost of smelting our coast ores was \$8 per ton, and the price paid to miners by smelters was 6 cents per pound less than the New York quotation of the day of sampling. Now we get our copper ore smelted for \$2.50 a ton, and the price paid to miners by smelters is 3 cents per pound less than the New York quotation of the day of sampling. Formerly the price paid to miners was 1 cent a pound, while now it is based on electrolytic copper, which is from a half to a cent a pound higher than casting copper. This advantage to the mines can be put in a few words by saying that a five per cent, ore five years ago would not net the mine enough to pay smelting and freight charges, whereas today a five per cent, mine would have \$10 left over and above freight and treatment.

Production of Coast.

In the districts of British Columbia last year the coast stood third in the amount of copper produced, while the average assay of the highest grade in British Columbia in 1904, over 1903, was nearly 14 per cent, and in the past two years the increase was nearly 45 per cent. The future is bright for copper.

The districts which show an increase in 1904, over 1903, in the order named as to merit, are East Kootenay, Boundary, Coast and Shuswap. The greatest decrease was in Rossland camp. The gross value of British Columbia's mineral output in 1904 was \$18,975,359, or an increase over 1903 of about 8.5 per cent."

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Arrivals From

The Deep Sea

Ship Dechmont From Yokohama and Bark Alden Besse From San Francisco.

Dakota Carries Big Cargo for Far East—The Iyo Maru is Due.

The arrivals yesterday from the deep sea included the bark Dechmont from Yokohama, towed in yesterday morning by the tug Lorne and towed to Chemainus to load lumber; the bark Alden Besse, a San Francisco vessel purchased by Japanese to carry a cargo of salmon from the Fraser river to Japan, from San Francisco to the port of Queenstown, having encountered the gales which blew at the entrance to the straits. It blew over forty miles an hour on Tuesday and about twenty-five miles an hour yesterday. The bark Dechmont made a fast trip from Yokohama than the Dunearn, which arrived the day previous from the Japanese port. The Dechmont, a British ship commanded by Capt. Hindricks, sailed from Yokohama four days after the Dunearn. The Glenview was also in the straits, sailing from the ship's sail, Capt. Spreckels, who intended to leave the vessel on arrival here and proceed to Tacoma to join the Washington Stevedoring Company, in which Capt. J. S. Gibson, formerly of Chemainus, is interested. The Alden Besse, bought on account of Vancouver Japanese, is an old vessel built at Bath, Me., in 1871, a vessel of 842 tons, formerly owned by J. D. Spreckels, of San Francisco. The Queen was delayed by the heavy winds and did not arrive until yesterday morning, though she had been due since Saturday. The Unimaru sailed for the Golden Gate last night. Her passengers from this city were: William Bennett and wife, K. L. Crowder and wife, Miss E. B. Swerter, Miss Jarvis, T. L. Gore, J. J. Ireland, F. E. Ford, Mr. Jarvis and wife, T. R. McCauslin and Geo. Pleisch.

Iyo Maru Due

Today the steamer Iyo Maru is due from the Orient, having sailed from Yokohama on the 7th. The steamer Dakota of the Great Northern line sailed yesterday from Seattle for the Orient. She had a good passenger list and 23,000 tons of freight. Howard James, vice-president and general manager of the Great Northern S. S. Co. and many members of the Japanese peace delegation were passengers. Some 150 passengers were also from the Orient to attend the convention at Seattle and five United States government employees going to the Philippines were also on the list.

The freight cargo of the Dakota represents nearly every variety of American merchandise, railroad construction materials, locomotives and cars being largely represented. She also took a large amount of cotton domestics, her consignments of this material being about 25,000 bales. She also had 2,500 tons of flour for Japan. The rest of her cargo is of general nature.

Today the Dakota for Japan goes "goods wagon" for the railways of Nippon, and also nineteen locomotives of about 50 tons each, built for the narrow gauge railways of Japan. The "goods wagon" for Japanese narrow gauge railways are especially built freight cars of English design. They are sixteen feet in length, with a capacity of 20,000 pounds and weight of 13,000 pounds. They are equipped with four wheels instead of the double trucks of American freight cars.

THE YUKON STEAMERS.

Shippers Are Looking to the Closing of the Northern Waterway.

With the announcement made yesterday that no more perishable freight will be received by the White Pass and Yukon route for shipment to points in the Yukon beyond White Horse those interested are beginning to look up the matter of the closing of the river in previous years. Last year the last steamer to leave Dawson for White Horse was the Prospector, which got away October 22d. She made White Horse in five days. The Prospector remained so long that her trip was something extraordinary and her success largely creditable to the good help she had in finding the river open to that late date.

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DAMAGED BY FLAMES.

Steamer Rainier Has Fire in Her Hold When En Route to Seattle.

The steamer Rainier, which has arrived at Seattle from San Francisco, had a narrow escape from destruction by fire while en route. The fire was started in the coal bunkers of the ship without the knowledge of any of the crew, and when discovered had burned an area of about three feet in the floor of the bunkers.

At the time there were about forty tons of coal in the hold of the steamer, and it is believed by Capt. Hansen that the conflagration was caused by spontaneous combustion. He says that the fuel was of an inferior quality, which had been taken on before the departure of the vessel from San Francisco. The damage was slight.

This is the first accident the steamer has suffered since she was placed in commission five years ago, and since that time she has made 101 trips.

FOR SIBERIA.

Cessation of Hostilities Causing Rush of Freight to Russian Asia.

With the cessation of hostilities in the Far East, trade with Russia and Japan is rapidly picking up. Vessels are being chartered to carry merchandise from San Francisco to ports on the Siberian coast, and it is stated that several tramp steamers will leave San Francisco within the next few months with heavy consignments for the Siberian coast. The big steamer Vermont, which is on her way from Kobe with coal, will likely enter the trade, as negotiations are now pending for her charter. In addition, several vessels will depart from Seattle with grain cargoes and general merchandise.

FIRE ON DOLPHIN.

Gasoline Lamp Used by Engineer in Repairing Shaft Explodes.

News of a fire on board the steamer Dolphin is given in a despatch from Skagway, which says: "The Alaska Steamship Company's steamer Dolphin escaped from burning to the water's edge while at Moore's wharf Monday night. The chief engineer was repairing the vessel's crank and was using a gasoline lamp

to braze the several parts. The gasoline lamp exploded and immediately the engine room from the floor to the skylight, was in flames."

"For a while it seemed as if the ship was doomed. Smoke poured out in clouds from the hatches and skylights. A hose was attached to the city water pipe and the deck and several parts were turned on, flooding the part of the ship where the fire was located and subduing the flames."

A couple of lifeboats were searched and several of the engine room staff were severely burned.

MARINE NOTES.

Seattle shipping men are considering sending extra steamers to Cape Nome to handle the extra quantity of freight offered for shipment to the Arctic camp.

The Shipowners' Stevedoring Co. on Puget Sound has gone out of business. Steamer Queen City will sail tonight for Cape Scott and may ports on the Vancouver Island coast.

FOUND RUSSIAN MINE.

Valued Prospectors Find Property of Former Occupants of Alaska.

A deposit of peacock copper ore has been discovered on Hinchinbrook Island, which lies off the southeast coast of Alaska, which shows unmistakable evidence of having been worked at some time by the Russians. The location of this mine was known to one of the aged natives of Tatoflik, but heretofore he has refused to believe to take any white men to the mine, until recently he saw a elephant in a killing which took place there several years ago and was afraid to return.

Walter Holland, Jim Bentson and John Dorn finally convinced the old man that it would be safe to go to the mine and led them to a place on Hinchinbrook where a ledge of peacock copper ore had been opened up and worked by the Russians. The old tools and the shaft, with timber nearly all decayed, corroborated his story of the mine having been worked many years ago.

The party had considerable prospecting

in the neighborhood and report that the deposit is a very large one, there being apparently a whole mountain of ore. It has been located and will be further developed.

GREAT FUTURE OF NORTHERN CAMP

Minister of Interior Impressed With Possibilities of Yukon Country.

The Yukon will be a great mining country for many years to come," said Hon. Frank Oliver, minister of the interior and superintendent of Indian affairs, in an interview at Vancouver. As a result of his trip to the North, Hon. Mr. Oliver's health, which was somewhat delicate when he was last here, is considerably improved, and he states that he greatly enjoyed his visit to the mining district, where he learned many things that will be useful to him in his official capacity.

"I was much impressed with the richness of the country tributary to Dawson," said Hon. Mr. Oliver in speaking of his trip. "After getting over the unending reception which they tendered me in Dawson, I visited a number of creeks, among them Eldorado, Hunter, Dominion and Bear creeks. I saw many claims being worked. Most of them employ machinery in the workings, as the day of primitive methods is now past.

"Much interest is being taken by the people of Dawson and the surrounding country in the surveys for an extensive system of water supply which Englehard Thibaudeneau is now making. It seems to be the general opinion that if a sufficient supply of water can be secured, the riches of the bench claims and what is known as the White Channel will astonish the world. This White Channel is composed mainly of a whitish decomposed quartz from which the gold can be easily extracted, and there seems little doubt that it is there in paying quantities.

"On my way down I stopped at Whitehorse and opened an agricultural fair there. Judged a baby show, and was astonished at the size of the biggest babies and other vegetables which they raised in the North. I also stopped to inspect Mt. H. Conrad's new mining properties at Windy Arm. Development work is being carried on there on a large scale, and these mines should prove a great help to the coast. I understand that arrangements have been about completed by Mr. Conrad to commence shipping ore in thirty days. Four lines of aerial tramway are projected to handle the ore, and these one line is about completed. Altogether I was much impressed with the possibilities of the mineral riches in that part of the country. It was my first trip to the North, and I enjoyed it very much."

Regarding the matter of the protection of the city's interests in the waterworks pipeline at the Narrows, Hon. Mr. Oliver said that it came under the Indian department, as the land in question was an old Indian reserve.

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